Dear Mr. Doug Johnson.

Please deny the permit for tar sands mining. It seems to be far too destructive a source of energy to obtain, both in the destruction of land caused in the mining and in its actual use as an energy source. There are many more viable solutions

to energy production!

Again - Please deny the permit.

Thank you.

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Sincerely, Victoria Hellhouse

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